

In the Claims:

Cancel claim 11.

Amend claim 10 as follows:

B<sub>1</sub>  
10. The method as claimed in claim 1, wherein an alcohol, a sulfoxide, a sulfone, and amide are employed as polar solvent.

Add new claim 12 as follows:

B<sub>2</sub>  
12. The method as claimed in claim 1, wherein an alcohol, a sulfoxide, a sulfone, and amide and, water or a mixture thereof are employed as polar solvents.